## City Times NEWSLETTER

## HAPPY AUGUST, TEAM!

July and August are, on average, the hottest months in Oklahoma! Staff members, especially field workers, are reminded to please stay hydrated, take advantage of the shade during breaks and heed instruction from management for earlier start times.

## Check out some of WHAT'S NEXT, city-wide:

- Lawton Birthday Reception & Ceremony: 8/2/18 @Lawton City Hall
- Back 2 School Bash: 8/4/18 @Great Plains Coliseum
- Let's Talk About it Oklahoma: 8/16/18 @Cameron Univeristy
- Miss Lawton Pageant: 8/18/18 @McMahon Memorial Auditorium
- <u>Coffee with Cops</u>: 8/18/18 @McDonald's on 67th & Gore
- Alzheimer's Walk: 8/25/18 @Elmer Thomas Park – City of Lawton employee sign-ups are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on 8/9/18 @City Hall
  - Team Scouting & positions; open until filled at various City sites & locations.









In late July, the Lawton Police Department held its annual Junior Citizens Police Academy at Greater Galilee Baptist Church. Twenty-five students, ages 13-17, graduated from the program – having learned about various areas of the department, such as the K-9 Unit, Gang Unit, Administration, Community Oriented Policing and more!





In revamping a City of Lawton Intramural Sports League for employees, the EAC reports KICKBALL has gauged the most interest. Employees are still welcome to contact Chairman Travis Estep at ext. 375 or testep@lawtonok.gov for feedback.

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## DAYFORCE TRAINING INTRODUCTORY SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15 in Auditorium FRIDAY, AUG. 17 in Banquet Hall

\*Sessions will take place at 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1:30 p.m. & 3:30 p.m. both days\*

\*Sessions will take place at City Hall\*

The City of Lawton will transition to a fully digital payroll system by way of Ceridian's Dayforce HCM – a cloud-based application for payroll, benefits and workforce management – on Sept. 17, 2018.

Among other benefits, this system will allow City employees the convenience of:

- Online time entry and approval
- Receiving vital, employer information in a more timely manner
- Checking balances of, and submitting for, leave time instantaneously
- Altering health, dental or other packaged benefits digitally and without appointment
- Streamlining day-to-day duties in a paperless, Cloud-based application

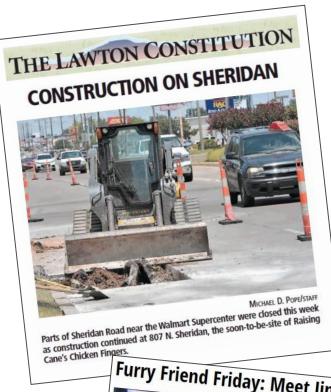


Both the Lawton Police
Department and Lawton
Fire Department
participated in the Lip
Sync Challenge,
promoting community
engagement and
racking up more than
1.5M views collectively!





City of Lawton, July 2018



STREETS
& ANIMAL
WELFARE
were both
highlighted
via local
news
outlets for
ongoing
projects
and
programs.

